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/********** THIS IS A COMBINED MESSAGE **********/
BODY
TAGS: PREL, PGOV, SNAR, MASS, PTER, EAID, CJAN, BL
SUBJECT: USG-GOB BILATERAL COOPERATION ISSUES

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1. CONFIDENTIAL -- ENTIRE TEXT.

2. DURING AN AUGUST 3 MEETING WITH PRESIDENT PAZ ZAMORA AND THE AMBASSADOR (SEPTEL), FONMIN RONALD MACLEAN SUGGESTED THAT KEY GOB CABINET MINISTERS AND SENIOR EMBOFFS MEET TO DISCUSS HOW TO BETTER MANAGE THE FULL RANGE OF BILATERAL ISSUES. THE MEETING WAS TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 10, BUT HAS NOW BEEN MOVED UP TO AUGUST 7. AS A FOLLOW-UP TO THIS SUGGESTION, WE ARE PROPOSING THE COMPREHENSIVE AGENDA AS SHOWN IN PARA 5 BELOW. THE AGENDA PROBABLY WILL SPILL OVER INTO A SERIES OF MEETINGS, PERHAPS CULMINATING IN A BILATERAL OFFSITE MODELLED AFTER LAST DECEMBER'S SESSION IN SANTA CRUZ.

3. WITH PAZ ZAMORA'S SUPPORT FOR MACLEAN'S SUGGESTION, WE HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY TO IMPROVE COMMUNICATION AND COORDINATION WITH THE GOB AND WITHIN THE GOB, BUT WE WILL HAVE TO SET THE AGENDA AND DRIVE THE MEETINGS; THE GOB'S ATTENTION SPAN IS EVEN SHORTER THAN USUAL DURING A PRE-ELECTION YEAR. WE MAY DELETE/ADD AGENDA ISSUES AS REQUIRED. WE DO NOT BELIEVE THAT ANY DRASTIC CHANGE OF COURSE OR STRATEGY IS REQUIRED ON OUR PART (OR THAT THE GOB WILL DEMAND MAJOR CHANGES). WE DO BELIEVE, HOWEVER, THAT WE MAY HAVE TO PUSH/DRAG THE GOB INTO THE LIMELIGHT TO BETTER MANAGE, COORDINATE, DEFEND AND EXPLAIN ITS OWN PROGRAMS. A MORE OPEN (AT TIMES REDUNDANT) INFORMATION FLOW TO THE GOB IS ALSO NEEDED, IN OUR VIEW.

4. OUR PROPOSED LIST OF MAJOR BILATERAL ISSUES FOR DISCUSSION SHOULD NOT SURPRISE BOLIVIA WATCHERS. THE ISSUES CHOSEN HAVE CAUSED PROBLEMS OR MAY CAUSE PROBLEMS IN THE FUTURE, IF NOT MANAGED PROPERLY. THE ISSUES ARE NOT LIMITED TO COUNTERNARCOTICS OR MILITARY ASSISTANCE IN ORDER TO DEMONSTRATE TO THE GOB THAT RELATIONS ARE NOT CONDUCTED IN A VACUUM. PROBLEMS IN ONE AREA (E.G., UNCHECKED, BIZARRE COMPLAINTS ABOUT CIVIC ACTION PROGRAMS) COULD SPILL OVER TO OTHERS (E.G., WE MIGHT RECOMMEND WITHDRAWING OUR PROPOSED BILATERAL INVESTMENT TREATY UNTIL THE CURRENT POLITICAL ENVIRONMENT IMPROVES AND THE GOB STARTS ACTING LIKE A GOVERNMENT IN CONTROL OF ITS POLICIES.

5. BEGIN LIST OF PROPOSED BILATERAL AGENDA ITEMS:

COUNTERNARCOTICS COOPERATION

(A) 1987 ANTI-NARCOTICS FRAMEWORK AGREEMENT

-- ORIGINAL GOALS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS TO DATE

-- COCA ERADICATION: TARGETS, VOLUNTARY, FORCED

(B) 1992 SECTION A (NAS PROGRAMS) REVISION TO THE 1987 AGREEMENT

-- INTERDICTION: 100 DAY REVIEW OF OPERATION GHOST ZONE (THE GOB CALLS IT "LARGO ALIENTO")
0 ACCOMPLISHMENTS, METHODS, PUBLIC RESPONSE, EXTENSION OF OPERATION

-- OTHER OPERATIONS PENDING FOR THE REMAINDER OF 1992

0 INFRASTRUCTURE REQUIREMENTS: UMOPAR

-- USG SUPPORT TO GOB INSTITUTIONS: THE ROLE OF NAS, DEA AND OTHER USG COUNTERNARCOTICS AGENCIES AND PERSONNEL STATUS IN BOLIVIA

-- ENFORCEMENT

0 STATUS OF JUDICIAL CASES

0 EXTRADITION AND SIGNATURE OF NEW TREATY

0 PROSECUTORS (FISCALES) MANAGEMENT AND JUDICIAL

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SYSTEM

0 STRENGTHENING HUMAN RIGHTS AND INTERNAL AFFAIRS

-- REVIEW OF SUPPORT FOR INTELLIGENCE ACTIVITIES

0 COUNTERNARCOTICS PROGRAMS

0 COUNTERTERRORIST PROGRAMS

(C) 1992 SECTION C (MILITARY ASSISTANCE) REVISION TO THE 1987 AGREEMENT

-- ROLE OF THE ARMY IN COUNTERNARCOTICS AND HUMANITARIAN CIVIC ACTION PROGRAMS

-- REVIEW OF ALL FMFP FY91 PROGRAMS

-- REVIEW OF PROPOSED FMFP FY92 PROGRAMS

-- REVIEW OF AIR OPERATIONS AND FY92 REQUIREMENTS

HUMANITARIAN CIVIC ACTION PROGRAMS

-- PROPOSED FY 93 PROGRAM AND PROCEDURES

NON-NARCOTICS COOPERATION WITH THE BOLIVIAN POLICE

(A) ATA TRAINING AND EQUIPMENT

(B) ITEP TRAINING

ESF PROGRAM (1992 SECTION B REVISION TO THE 1987 AGREEMENT)

-- DESCRIPTION OF PROGRAM AND ERADICATION DISBURSEMENT PROCEDURES, INCLUDING SEEDBEDS

AID PROGRAM REVIEW: PRIORITY GOALS AND STATUS

-- ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE PROGRAM

TRADE AND INVESTMENT SUPPORT PROGRAMS

(A) BILATERAL INVESTMENT TREATY

(B) SECTION 936 FUNDING

PEACE CORPS

-- DESCRIPTION OF PROGRAM AND GOALS

1993 ELECTION

(A) MANAGING U.S. BOLIVIAN RELATIONS DURING CAMPAIGN

-- ESTABLISHMENT OF PRESS SPOKESMAN

(B) RELATIONS WITH CONGRESS: ADVISE AND CONSENT

INSTITUTIONALIZING POLICY REVIEW PROCEDURES: CONALID MEETINGS

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